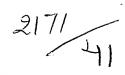
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## **RESPONSE TO AUGUST 19, 2004 OFFICIAL ACTION**

Sir:

Applicants provide the present Response to address the issues raised in the Official Action mailed August 19, 2004.